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Hi Kevin,

Thanks for the feedback!

Yes, I agree that the Mac version is very interesting, so I quickly checked Apple's latest and greatest Mac offerings. Unfortunately, the Mac Pro is still stuck in the past, the iMac Pro is "aging" (as in "old"), the iMac Pro is "aging" (as in "old") and the Mac mini is still stuck with Intel and an 2014 model. Apple's Mac lineup is a mess right now, and it's not what I'm looking for.

Thanks for the detailed review – it's important to have it all from a photographer's point of view.

Cheers,
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Hi Kevin,

(EMC is a ppc program, so you need to run it on snow leopard.)

http://andreasamann.com/MacOSX/Eudora_Mailbox_Cleaner

Often the best solution is imap. Then you can connect any number of clients to it and transfer mail hither and yon. You can also try out a lot of clients and see which you hate least. If there's too big a backlog for your imap quota, you can do it in batches, copying local mail from the old client, downloading it with the new client then deleting from the server. (Note that gmail and outlook/exchange server 'imap' isn't real imap, and is more likely to have trouble. If you need access to a good imap service, fastmail.com is excellent and cheap, $10/year up.)

About once a year I try every mail client that's still supported, and none come close to Eudora. Apple Mail always wins out by a hair because of third party plugins and potentially faster security updates. There are a few newer clients this year available only on the App Store, but I haven't tried those since I'd have to put money up front, and none seem to offer anything that makes them closer to eudora.

For saving to plain text, Apple Mail can in principle do it, "Archive Mailbox..." saves to mbox format. In practice, it tends not to work well with large amounts of mail at a time. (All versions of apple mail have that problem, not just yosemite.) One not-huge mailbox at a time (not too deeply nested) usually works ok,

As long as snow leopard is still available, there's no reason not to use eudora for searching old mail archives, if you don't let it talk to the network (little snitch helps with this). If you save new mail to mbox, you can put those files in Eudora's Mail folder, and as long as there aren't more than 32k messages per file, it will deal with them just fine, though metadata will likely be missing.

There are useful plugins for apple mail that help with metadata and improved filtering. I've been using MailTags and Mail Act-On. I don't have it yet, but Keyboard Maestro, a general GUI macro utility, looks like it should be good for taming other annoyances, such as not being able to open the next message with a single key press. None of the above are free though.

http://www.indev.ca/index.html
http://www.keyboardmaestro.com/main/

(Disclaimer: I have no connection to any software mentioned other than as a user.)

Posted by: pholcid | Saturday, 08 August 2015 at 08:18 PM

A my computer will cost 1500 dollars and contains 64 Gb of RAM, 500 Gb of SSD storage, 4 Gb of diskstorage in a Raid array, Windows 7, 2 980GTX video arrays (a healty 4000+ Cuda cores). It wil adres 2 monitors and a beamer (as part of a 3D scanner). How I do that without atracting interrest from the old blue. Buy second hand and refurbish. And did I mention 2 Xeon processors with 6 cores at 2.9 Mhz each? And it's an A brand (HP or Dell, not quite sure yet what the cat will drag in).

Greets, Ed.

Posted by: Ed | Tuesday, 11 August 2015 at 03:33 AM

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